



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON D C 20463

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Robert B. Creamer, President
Strategic Consulting Group
4318 N. Elston
Chicago, Illinois 60641

RE: MUR 5031

Dear Mr. Creamer:

On June 22, 2000, the Federal Election Commission notified Strategic Consulting Group, Inc. of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act").

On January 12, 2004, the Commission found that there is no reason to believe that Strategic Consulting Group violated any provision of the Act in this matter. Accordingly, the Commission closed the file in this matter as it pertains to Strategic Consulting Group.

The Commission reminds you that the confidentiality provisions of 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12)(A) remain in effect, and that this matter is still open with respect to other respondents. The Commission will notify you when the entire file has been closed, at which time you will be sent a copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report.

If you have any questions, please contact Brant Levine, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1572.

Sincerely,

Lawrence H. Norton
General Counsel

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BY: Rhonda J. Vosdingh
Associate General Counsel
for Enforcement

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